

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Vervoort et al.  
Serial No.: 09/623,329  
Filed: November 13, 2000  
For: *OLIGO NUCLEOTIDES FOR THE AMPLIFICATION AND DETECTION OF  
EPSTEIN BARR VIRUS (EBV) NUCLEIC ACID*

Confirmation No.: 3850  
Group Art Unit: 1634  
Examiner: Carla J. Myers

Date: February 17, 2006

Attn: Mr. Don Fairchild  
Office of Publications  
2900 Crystal Drive, Room 8C09  
Arlington, VA 22203

**SUBMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Dear Mr. Fairchild:

Applicants would like to thank Mr. Don Fairchild at the Office of Publications for the courtesy extended during the telephone conversation on February 17, 2006. As discussed, Applicants submit herewith three sets of drawings, including the colored drawings for **Figures 4A, 4B and 5** that were previously submitted on July 2, 2004. It is requested that these new drawings be substituted for the originally file drawings.


No fee is believed due, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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